

"EXPRESS MAIL" Mailing Label No. EV360019285US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner For Patents
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In accordance with Rule 115 of the Rules of Practice, applicants hereby amend the above-identified application before the first examination and Action.